Uttar Pradesh, Karnataka, Gujarat, Maharashtra and Delhi with ISI. The intelligence/security agencies have interdicted a number of sleeper cells.

(d) The Government has been pursuing a well coordinated and multi-pronged approach to tackle the activities of the ISI which, *inter-alia*, include, strengthening vigilance on the borders to check infiltration and illegal cross border activities, gearing up the intelligence machinery to interdict Pakistani agents, close interaction by way of sharing of intelligence and operational coordination between different agencies of the Centre and the State Governments for neutralizing the plans and designs of terrorist groups and their mentors, modernization, and strengthening and upgradation of State police and security forces, *etc.*

Special budget allocation to address terrorist and naxalites violence

1798. SHRI RAMA CHANDRA KHUNTIA: Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) the number of police force as compared to other countries and the total population is much less which is main reason of inadequate police service;

(b) the new strategy and special budget allocation to address terrorist and naxalites violence; and

(c) the total budget allocation and fund allotted to Orissa and fund utilization from 2004 to 2008?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI SHRIPRAKASH JAISWAL): (a) As per the information furnished by Bureau of Police Research and Development (BPR and D), the police-population ratio of some of the foreign countries and that of India as in 2002 is given in Statement-I (*see* below). 'Police' and 'Public Order' are State subjects as per the Seventh Schedule to the Constitution of India. Therefore, States are competent to raise police forces strength commensurate with the State-specific requirement of Law and Order, Crime Control, Traffic Management, Security of the State *etc.*

(b) A new Scheme for Special Infrastructure in Leftwing Extremist affected States has been put in place by Ministry of Home Affairs with a total outlay of Rs. 500 crore in the Eleventh Plan period. The Scheme is meant to provide for crucial infrastructure requirements that are critical to policing and security needs at field level in naxal affected States.

Under the Scheme for Modernisation of State Police Forces (MPF Scheme), an amount of Rs. 64 crore has been allocated as 100% Central assistance to 32 naxal affected districts in the States of Andhra Pradesh, Bihar, Chhattisgarh, Jharkhand, Orissa, Maharashtra, Madhya Pradesh and Uttar Pradesh in 2008-09.

(c) The total funds released to the State of Orissa under the MPF Scheme during the years 2004-05 to 2007-08 and the utilization reported by the State Government is given in Statement-II. (*see* below)

Statement-I

The police population ratio of come of Foreign Countries and that of India in 2002

Sl. No.	Country	Total Police Personnel	
		Count 2002	Rate per 100,000 inhabitants 2002
1.	Italy	322,483	559.0
2.	Mexico	495,821	491.8
3.	USA	941,139	326.4
4.	Australia	59,812	304.2
5.	Hungary	29,113	286.6
6.	Poland	99,014	259.0
7.	United Kingdom	152,576	257.6
8.	South Africa	101,582	224.0
9.	Switzerland	14,847	203.7
10.	Romania	46,345	207.8
11.	Nepal	46,481	192.7
12.	Chile	30,090	193.0
13.	Canada	58,422	186.3
14.	Japan	231,700	182.2
15.	Myanmar	68,959	141.4
16.	India	1,433,555	136.4

Source:—U.N. Division for Policy Analysis and Public Affairs released on 31 March, 2005.

Statement-II

Funds released to Orissa under MPF Scheme during the year 2004-05 *to* 2007-08

(Rs. in crore)

Year	Amount of Central funds released to Orissa	Utilization reported by the State Government of Orissa	Unspent Central funds remaining with the State Government
1	2	3	4
2004-05	27.66	27.66	0.00

1	2	3	4
2005-06	35.04	35.04	0.00
2006-07	38.00	31.31	6.69
2007-08	45.80	(*)	(*)

(*) The utilization certificate for the funds released during 2007-08 shall become due on 1.4.2009.

Advance information about Delhi blasts

1799. SHRI M.V. MYSURA REDDY: Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government had information well in advance from intelligence agencies about the bomb blasts that terrorized Delhi in the third week of September, 2008;

(b) if so, the details of information received by his Ministry from agencies like IB, RAW or such other agencies;

(c) what action his Ministry has taken on the information that it got from the intelligence agencies; and

(d) if any action was taken, what are the reasons for occurrence of such blasts in the capital?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI SHRIPRAKASH JAISWAL): (a) No, Sir.

(b) to (d) Do not arise in view of the above.

Persons killed and injured in Mumbai terror attack

1800. SHRI RAJEEV CHANDRASEKHAR: Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) the number of persons killed and seriously injured in the terrorist attacks in

various places in Mumbai from 26th to 29th November, 2008, location-wise;

(b) the number out of them who were foreigners, hotel staff, Government officials and others, separately; and

(c) the extent of financial liability of Central/State Governments for the loss of lives of foreigners and those seriously injured in these attacks, according to the International Law and Convention?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI SHRIPRAKASH JAISWAL): (a) and (b) As per available information, 164 persons including 18 security personnel, 26 foreigners, 24 hotel staff, and 7 Government officials were killed, and 308 persons including 43 security personnel 25 hotel staff, 6 Government officials and 25 foreigners were